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Attachments: RIN2070-ZA21 EO12866 PBSGuidance-Draft EPA Response to USDA Comments 2019-01-31.docx; ATT00001.htm

Is there any truth to the rumor that USDA wants us to hold off on the Guidance?

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Here are the USDA comments that went to the review team the morning after getting them from OMB late in the evening. Since the lead is out of the office this week, the usual meeting to discuss the incoming comments has been scheduled for Tuesday, Feb 5th.

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Subject: From OMB - EO 12866 Interagency Review: EPA's Guidance for Plant Biostimulant Products: Label Claims Excluded or Regulated under FIFRA as Plant Regulator Claims (RIN 2070-ZA21) - USDA Comments

Hi all.

Danielle sent the following comments from USDA last night.

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-Melissa

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